

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Washington, DC 20231Docket No.: 600.1162  
Date: January 10, 2003

In re application of: Bernd VOSSELER et al.  
 Serial No.: 09/911,206  
 Filed: 07/23/2001  
 For: LASER IMAGING WITH VARIABLE PRINTING SPOT SIZE

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to Office (2 pgs) in the above-identified application.

Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.  
 Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.  
 No fee for additional claims is required.  
 A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

FOR :	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)		PRESENT	SMALL ENTITY RATE	LARGE ENTITY RATE	OR
	REMAINING AFTER	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY	PAID FOR	EXTRA				
TOTAL CLAIMS	* Minus**	=	0		x \$ 9 \$		x \$ 18 \$	
INDEP. CLAIMS	* Minus***	=	0		x \$ 42 \$		x \$ 84 \$	
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+ \$140 \$			+ \$280 \$	
					TOTAL: \$		OR	TOTAL: \$

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 Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (in duplicate)  
 Other:

Check(s) in the amount of **\$0.00** is/are attached to cover:  
 Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16  
 Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136  
 Other:

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.  
 Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.  
 Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

January 10, 2003

Sir:

In response to the new non-final office action dated October 10, 2002 received in the above-identified application, Applicants hereby respectfully request reconsideration of the application based on the following remarks.

REMARKS

Claims 2 to 11 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103 as being unpatentable over Sarraf in view of Buus.

Reconsideration of the application in view of the following is respectfully requested.